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To VICTOR. Copy to VADIM[i].

Allen WARDWELL [UORDUELL][11] wrote a letter ... GRANDFATHER [DED][111] in which he asks for advice about [the person][1] in the Union[b] with whom an agreement should be made regarding the setting up of a parcels office [E% in WASHINGTON], which is being planned by WARDWELL's friend - John ROTHSCHILD [DZhON ROTShIL'D]. Inasmuch as ROTHSCHILD's plan directly threatens the existence of MYRNA's [MIRNA][iv] cover, we think it necessary through GRANDFATHER to advise WARDWELL [U.] to approach Comrade MIKOYan[v] direct (which is what he himself is contemplating doing) and for us to report to Comrade MIKOYan that[c] [3 groups unrecovered] the setting up of this [B% office]. Telegraph your decision.

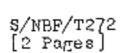
For the time being through GRANDFATHER we are answering WARDWELL [U.] that the question is being gone into and we will give an answer in a few days' time.

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 $MAY = \{MAJ\}[vi]$

[T.N. and Comments overleaf]

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- T.N.: [a] Inserted by translator.
 - [b] I.c. the Soviet Union.
 - [c] Or "what".
- Comments: [i] VADIM: Anatolij Borisovich GROMOV, WASHINGTON "resident".
 - [ii] Allen WARDWELL was honorary chairman of the Russian War Relief organisation in America.
 - [iii] DED: Evenij Dmitrevich KISELEV.
 - [iv] MIRNA: Elizabeth T. BENTLEY, formerly
 "GOOD GIRL" [UMNITSA].
 - [v] Anastas Ivanovich MIKOYaN, People's Commissar for Foreign Trade.
 - [vi] MAJ: Pavel Ivanovich FEDOSIMOV.